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TOP HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS
TO STUDY ECOLOGY AT UM

MISSOULA---

Gifted science students from high schools throughout the U.S. are studying environmental biology through actual exposure to extensive and varied field work at the University of Montana, Missoula, this summer.

The program, sponsored by the National Science Foundation, is divided into two sessions from June 17-August 17, according to Dr. Forrest D. Thomas II, UM associate professor of chemistry and field program director.

Thirty-five students who have just completed their junior year in high school will participate in the program, using UM campus dormitories and food service when they are not on field trips.

Field trips will include visits to the UM Biological Station at Yellow Bay on Flathead Lake; Glacier National Park, Lubrecht Experimental Forest, National Bison Range, the Bitterroot Wilderness Area, the Rocky Mountain Laboratory in Hamilton and the Mission Mountains Wild Area. In these areas participants can research areas ranging from semi-desert grasslands through forest areas to alpine tundra.

Participants are generally very high achievers from large urban areas who have had little exposure to the out-of-doors practical aspect of the biological sciences. The National Science Foundation will provide the cost of instruction, funds for travel on field trips, some instructional supplies and UM student health fees for the participating students.

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UM professors serving as instructors for the program include:

Dr. Mark Behan, general and forest ecology; Dr. George F. Weisel and Dr. Donald A. Jenni, flora and fauna; Dr. Robert W. Fields, geology; Dr. Thomas J. Nimlos, soils; Professor Melvin Morris, grasslands; Dr. Lee Eddleman, rangelands; Dr. James H. Lowe Jr., forest entomology; Dr. M.J. Nakamura, water supplies; Dr. Wayne P. Van Meter and Dr. Clarence C. Gordon, pollution; Dr. Forrest D. Thomas II, pesticides; Dr. W. Leslie Pengelly, wildlife. Dr. Arden R. Gaufin of the University of Utah will instruct the students in aquatic biology.

Students participating in the first session of the science training program include:

Jackie L. Andrew, Alexandria, Ind.; Scott W. Armbruster, San Gabriel, Calif.; Robert J. Cella, Pittsfield, Mass.; John A. Colman, Wheaton, Ill.; Jon R. Cook, Lewistown, Mont.; Thomas L. Cook, Alberta, Minn.; Russell J. Erickson, Northlake, Ill.; James O. Farlow, Logansport, Ind.; Miriam A. Greger, Richland, Wash.; Robert D. Holt, Memphis, Tenn.; Robert L. Jolley Jr., Oak Ridge, Tenn.; Jean A. Kempf, Wheaton, Ill.; Alice M. Kingdon, Newark, Del.; Judy A.O'Keefe, St. Louis, Mo.; Ruth A. Roney, District Heights, Md.; Jon E. Swenson, Shepherd, Mont.; Jean E. Thomson, Lawrence, Kansas; and Anne E. Weaver, Vancouver, Wash.

Students participating in the second summer session include:

Amy B. Altman, Jackson Heights, N.Y.; Douglas G. Burton, Midland, Tex.; Scot M. Campbell, Norristown, Pa.; James H. Carlson, Edina, Minn.; Mark L. Chalem, Evanston, Ill.; Deborah K. Dodge, Arlington, Tex.; David M. Godfrey, Kansas City, Mo.; Carol A. Holden, Chicago, Ill.; Linda A. Howell, Westport, Conn.; Charles L. Kalsted, Oak Lawn, Ill.; Martha A. Karatz, San Francisco, Calif.; Ellen J. Odoner, Jamaica, N.Y.; Timothy F. Root, Medford, Ore.; Dianne L. Rosen, Far Rockaway, N.Y.; Catharine A. Votteler, Marshalltown, Iowa; William F. West, Quincy, Mass.; and Lorraine M. Winkler, Chevy Chase, Md.